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NOTIFICATION

In accordance with the Tibetan Rehabilitation Policy, 2014, of the Ministry of Home Affairs issued vide Office Memorandum No. 11/2/2014 – RHS/M/D dated 20th October, 2014, the State Government of Sikkim is pleased to extend the benefits of the schemes/programmes mentioned hereunder, to the Tibetan Refugees who are in possession of Registration Certificate issued by the Foreigners Registration Office, Gangtok:-

- (1) Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme (MNREGS).
- (2) Public Distribution System (PDS): This will be subject to availability of additional allocation of food grains from the Government of India.
- (3) National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM).
- (4) National Rural Health Mission (NRHM).
- (5) Tibetans may be allowed to undertake such economic activities as they may desire within the Settlement Area at Rabongla or within the geographical boundaries of the Gram Panchayat Unit or the Urban Body Area where they are residing. Trade License, Driving License may be issued to them based on the Registration Certificate (RC).
- (6) Special programmes for skill up-gradation and training will be undertaken by the concerned Government departments.
- (7) Tibetan Cooperative Societies will be registered by the concerned Departments and all the benefits be extended to the Society.
- (8) Tibetans will be entitled to relief relating to Land slide.
- (9) Qualified Tibetans will be permitted to take up jobs in private and non-government sector in any field for which they are professionally qualified.

By order and in the name of Governor.

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